

"SUCCESS NEVER COMES TO A MAN WHO SUFFERS FROM THAT TIRED FEELING," SAYS THE OLD MAN OF FOGGY BOTTOM.

Naval Gun Makers Look Strong  
In Second Win in League Game

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Penalty Gives Navy Yard  
Chance to Score on Medicos

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## It Was a Question of Color



## TECH PLAYS PITT AND MIDDIES FACE GREAT LAKES IN SATURDAY CONTESTS

By LOUIS A. DOUGHER.

Pittsburgh vs. Georgia Tech and Navy vs. Great Lakes are the choice morsels offered football fans next Saturday, and he would truly be a marvel who would dope out the winners of these two imminent contests.

Pittsburgh's Juggernaut utterly crushed Pennsylvania, beating and battering the Quaker forwards until they could hardly stand, mauling their backs until they had to be taken from the field. And Pitts did this without calling upon its principal bone-crusher, George McLaren, captain and fullback.

Johnny Holzman, Georgia Tech's masterful coach, sat in the stand at Forbes Field watching for signs of weakness. Did he find any in the Panthers' line-up? We shall know by what happens next Saturday on that same field, for the Golden Tornado faces the Panthers that day.

Neither Tech nor Pittsburgh has lost a game in four years. Last year claims were made for each that it was the season's title bearer. Neither Holzman nor Warner, however, signed any such statements. They are veterans and know better.

Driscoll the Deacon.

Thanks to Paddy Driscoll, former star halfback at Northwestern, Great Lakes completely crushed what had been considered the most formidable eleven in the East, Rutgers. Driscoll proved himself a team on two legs. He had wings. He was made of adamant. He was a team in himself.

So Great Lakes, coached by "Bo" O'Connell, the old Yale forward, and handled by Lieutenant McCreary, U. S. N., a former Navy end and head coach, smothered Rutgers, 54 to 14.

Next Saturday the Middies altogether, Gil Dobie's phalanx ran up 127 points against not one for the little Ursinus. This is one point short of Georgia Tech's record of 128. The tornado made 128 against North Carolina State, a team in about the same class with Ursinus.

And next Saturday, at Annapolis, the Middies will face Great Lakes for the service championship of 1918.

Can Dobie stop Driscoll's running? Can he stop Driscoll's passes to Erickson? Next Saturday will tell also whether or not Bill Ingram's quick knife attacks will succeed when tried against Blacklock, of Notre Dame, and Collins, of Baylor, with the ends, Haines and Reichle, of Illinois, always alert to aid the tackles.

Will Tackle Marines.

Georgetown's soldier boys are due for their real battle of the year Saturday at the Hilltop when the Philadelphia Marines appear. The Blue and Gray has won three games from service teams, defeating the Fort Myer cavalrymen, 87 to 0; the Washington Barracks' team, 81 to 0; and the Charleston Naval Reserve, 13 to 0, but "By" Dickson's Marines are something else again.

The Hilltoppers do not class with the teams of the past three years, but they rank with most war-time teams, at that. Light in the line, inexperienced in most positions, they lack sufficient practice in real football to be really strong, but they make up for this in their speed and gumption and never-say-die spirit.

But for these last attributes they would not have won from Charleston. Whether they will give them a victory over the Marines next Saturday remains to be seen.

Syracuse Falls Down.

Michigan lived up to its press agents' reports in winning handily from the strong Syracuse eleven at Ann Arbor, Syracuse, with big victories over Dartmouth and Brown, was looked upon as fit to give the Wolverines a real fight. It didn't.

Fielding Yost's team was rather a mystery until it went to Chicago and won from the Maroon. Yost found

## MID-WEEK BATTLES WILL END SEASON

Mid-week will find the brief scholastic football season concluded. Central is scheduled to battle with the Baltimore Polytechnic Institute eleven in the Central Stadium tomorrow afternoon.

On Wednesday Western's Informal eleven will go over to Kendall Green for an engagement with the Gallaudet Reserves. The St. Albans team has two more games. St. James will visit here for a contest and then St. Albans' will go up to St. James' for an engagement.

Scholastic basketball squads will get right down to brass tacks for the first games of the season which start at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday, December 3.

A change is noted in the contents as scheduled. Friday battles have been done away with. The teams will meet Tuesdays in two double-headers for ten dates. There will be a layoff during the Christmas recess.

Coach Earl Fuller will call out his Y. M. C. A. lads tonight for a preliminary workout. Many of the players are lost from last season. Catlin, Goetz and one or two others are out of commission for the "Y" quint.

Fuller's lads will schedule games with the high schools and Baltimore teams. The "Y" lads always give their opponents a first class engagement, and the team is expected to be up to the usual Fuller standard.

Business is figuring on the scholastic title this season. Carl Schaeffer is captain. John Goetz and Colburn will be available. Held, a player of two seasons ago, is back. Coach Dorman will also have Fegan later in the season.

Coach Batterby has but one substitute from last year. Since Litchfield left Head is the only near veteran on the squad.

Pepper, Groves, Brees, Sinclair and Frank, who were expected back at Western this season, have departed. The Red and White would have been loaded with no less than eight letter men for the coming campaign had these lads remained.

## COLLEGE BASKETBALLS WILL MEET AT Y. M. C. A. TONIGHT

The District Basketball League, Prof. C. Edward Beckett president, will meet tonight at the Y. M. C. A. to take up all details relative to the appointment of officials and the games, which start the middle of next month.

Catholic University, George Washington, Gallaudet College, and Maryland State will be represented at the meeting.

## NAVAL GUN MAKERS WANT GAME FOR NEXT SUNDAY

The Naval Gunners have an open date for Sunday and want a battle for that date. Two wins in the Service League have put the players on edge for further contests.

Manager W. C. McCormack, Shop F. Navy Yard, or Lincoln 1329-W between 6 and 7 o'clock p. m., will reach him. The Gunners have won two contests this season.

GORDON'S A FAN.

Joe Gordon, who used to be president of the New York Yankees, is a real fan of the hopeful type. He appeared at the Giants' downtown offices the other day and asked that a box at the Polo Grounds be reserved for him at the opening game in 1919.

## Penny Ante THE GUY WHO FORGETS By Jean Knott



## GREAT LAKES PRACTICING AT ANNAPOLIS FOR CLASH

The Great Lakes Naval Training Station eleven, which completely crushed and humiliated Rutgers' hitherto invincible "Scarlet Scourge," 54 to 14, Saturday at Ebbets Field, Brooklyn, will work out this week at Annapolis on the same gridiron where the service title will be determined Saturday next. Permission has been obtained from the navy authorities.

Next Saturday comes the clash between Georgia Tech and Glenn Warner's Panthers at Pittsburgh.

George Hoban, who played in the backfield at Dartmouth and Lehigh, is captain and fullback on the Camp Devens eleven.

Blacklock, former star tackle for the Michigan Aggies, is in his old position for the Great Lakes Naval Training team.

Washington's football enthusiasts will hike over to Annapolis Saturday to see Dobie's Middies clash with Great Lakes for the service championship.

Though he has so far said nothing, Walter Camp, Yale's Nestor of football, is not expected to choose an all-American, or even an all-service eleven this year.

Catholic University has shown so much interest in football this season that the students entertain the best of hopes for continuing the game next season.

The ideal arrangement for the District would have football at Georgetown, George Washington, Catholic University and Maryland State, with games among them for a District title.

Ben Boynton, star quarterback with the unbeaten Williams College eleven in 1917, is now a Marine at League Island, Philadelphia, and "By" Dickson has him playing on the eleven.

## TEN YEARS AGO IN SPORTS

Johnny McGraw, of the Giants, says he doesn't regret paying the Indianapolis club \$11,000 for Rube Marquard.

Catcher Billy Sullivan, of the Chicago White Sox, is on his way to Ireland, where he hopes to establish the rights of his wife to a slice of \$80,000.

During the recent Burns-Squires mill, down in Sydney, Tommy Marquard, a telephone installed, and at the end of each round he'd call his wife up and report progress. When poor Squires took the final count, Tommy walked coolly to the phone and told his wife that since Mr. Squires had gone to sleep she could expect him home very soon.

Maryland State announced that a new track and athletic field would be ready for use in the spring.

Andrew Carnegie announced he wished no admission to be charged at the Carnegie Technical School athletic games. Free football did not work well a year ago.

Fred Merkle was considering buying an interest in a minor league club, to avoid facing the Polo Grounds fans. Merkle had taken the criticism handed him to heart.

Hans Wagner dipped into the circus game, which caused fans to prepare for the annual announcement of his retirement from baseball.

JACK HAS CINCH.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 18.—Jack Dempsey takes a little exercise tonight at the Olympia. He is booked for a six-round bout with Porky Flynn, of Boston. The bout will cease whenever Jack happens to remember his train time.

## PENN LOST MORE GROUND THAN SHE COULD COLLECT

Pennsylvania lost thirteen yards Saturday on the first attempt at scrimmage against Pittsburgh. That was exactly two yards more than she gained throughout the contest. The Quakers rushed the ball four yards in the first half and seven in the second. The total losses were thirty-one yards for the entire game.

Aside from that 41-to-0 score at Atlanta last year, Pittsburgh's 57-to-0 victory registered the highest total against Penn since Yale won from the Red and Blue, 48 to 0, back in 1901. In 1901 Harvard ran up 53 points against the Quakers. Cardale got 26 in 1907. Cornell got 24 points in 1915.

## TWO COLLEGE ELEVEN IN WINNING STRIDE LATELY

What's the matter with a game between Gallaudet College and Georgetown University? The Hilltoppers have won three games handily. They have defeated Troop B, the Washington Barracks and the Charleston Navy Yard men.

Gallaudet defeated the Army Medical, St. John's College, Catholic University, and Penn Military Academy. How about hooking 'em up for a battle?

SO RUMOR HAS IT.

Battling Levinsky, who didn't last three rounds with Jack Dempsey, has not retired, but rumor says he has severed relations with his manager, "Dumb Dan" Morgan.

UP AGAINST IT.

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Nov. 18.—Though twenty-five men are in West Virginia's squad, practicing for Thanksgiving, so little time is allowed for practice Coach Clark is very much up against it.

DIRECTUM I. DONE.

Directum I, with a record of 1,365, is done with his great pining days over the Grand Circuit. He will be retired to the stud in Kentucky.

## NAVAL GUNNERS SHOW UP STRONGER THAN FOEMEN

With all of the teams seen in action in the Service League contests, dopesters are leaning toward the Naval Gun Factory eleven, coached by Milton Turner, a Washington lad. The Gunmakers are away out in front today by virtue of two victories. Their win over the Medicos was impressive, as they were better all the way.

The Tenth Regiment Marines, of Indian Head, came through Saturday and appear to be the strongest team outside of the Naval Gunners. Capt. C. F. Dietz, of the Marines, is looking forward to the contest with the Gunmakers, and declares his team will be ready.

The Naval Gun Factory eleven, composed for the most part of Washington boys, have come right to the front. Former Mohawk A. C. lads have shown their ability against the Seamen Gunners and Medicos, and have to meet the Camp Humphreys, Marines, and Camp American University players.

Yesterday's battle at American League Park was won on its merits. The score was 7 to 9 in favor of the Navy Yard men. Three times during the contest the Gunners had a chance to score. Fumbles of a slippery ball twice cost sure scores. Another time a bit of foggy brainwork robbed the Machinists of a touchdown.

Field Was Slippery.

The field was slippery and the teams played through a drizzle of rain. Had conditions been otherwise the Gun Makers might have run up a sizeable score, for the line outplayed that of the Medicos and the backfield hit better together.

Byers, McBride, McMahon, and Snow were in the game every moment. The line smothered the attacks of the Medicos and effectively stopped the Medicos, having Dunn's number. Once Hager got away for a thirty-yard dash, which was the only sizeable gain the Medicos made.

Heavy Help.

When Carroll was substituted illegally in the final quarter, the Naval Gun Factory men were given the ball on the 30-yard line. Successive plunges brought the ball up to the goal line. With but two inches to go, the backfield fumbled.

Dunn's kick was blocked, and Burns fell on the ball. Four plunges carried it over, with but two minutes to play. McBride kicked a difficult goal.

The Medicos played a scoreless tie game with the Usaces team of Allentown, Pa., earlier in the season. The Usaces have defeated all other teams during the season and are anxious to win.

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